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5,750 population; three railroads,  
million dollar Cement Plant, Large  
Cotton Compress, Cotton Seed Oil  
Mill and Flour Mill Industries, Five  
Banks, Electric lights and power 24  
hours, business streets being paved  
and concrete sidewalks throughout  
city.

# THE EVENING NEWS

DEVOTED TO MAKING ADA A LARGER AND MORE PROGRESSIVE CITY

Thanks—We Sold During October  
\$599.58 More Than the Same Month  
Last year. We Thank You for Your  
Patronage—

ADA HARDWARE CO.

VOLUME 6

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## A GREATER ADA

MEETING HELD THIS AFTERNOON  
LOOKING TOWARD THE LOCAL  
TION OF FACTORIES AND RAIL-  
ROAD SHOPS.

Factories are Now Ready to Enter  
the City, Says Mr. Flood, With  
Proper Inducements.

One of the most important meetings  
ever held in the city was that of  
representative business men this after-  
noon at 2 o'clock in the 25,000 club  
rooms.

The matter under consideration

### Luncheonette

|                         |     |
|-------------------------|-----|
| French Drip Coffee..... | 5c  |
| Ham Sandwiches .....    | 5c  |
| Chocolate .....         | 10c |
| Nerver .....            | 10c |
| Beef Tea .....          | 10c |
| Cream DeMenthe .....    | 5c  |
| Clam Bouillon .....     | 5c  |
| Oyster Bouillon .....   | 5c  |
| Oyster Cocktail .....   | 10c |
| Ben's Special .....     | 10c |
| Malted Clam .....       | 10c |
| Lemonade .....          | 10c |

We also serve Ice Cream and  
cold drinks of all kinds.

## Ramsey's Drug Store

We're in Business For Your Health

Have just received a straight  
car of

China Gl...ts  
Side Boards  
Bedroom Suits  
Dressers  
Dining Tables  
Iron Beds

Of the latest designs.

I sell goods on easy  
payments

M. LEVIN

Main Street Phone 214

Prescriptions  
Properly  
Prepared.

Physicians  
Pleased.

Patients  
Protected.

(The G. M. C. Way)

Gwin & Mays Co.

HAVE IT

The Ada Druggists The Rexall Store  
"We run a drug store and  
nothing more"

was explained by Mr. Ebey as that of  
looking to the promotion and locating  
of industrial enterprises in our city,  
stating that three or four factories  
are now knocking at our doors seek-  
ing admittance, which may be secured  
if sites could be had for them. Also  
the railroad from Salisaw proposes  
to come into the city, establishing  
division and shops if proper site and  
bonus is given.

At present the only available lands  
adjacent to the city for factory sites  
days north, which embraces three  
tracts aggregating about 500 acres.  
It is the purpose of the business men  
to buy this land, lay it out into  
lots, reserving a sufficient amount  
for factory sites, and put the other on  
the market; the proceeds from such  
sales, after paying for the land and  
expense of selling same, will go into  
a reserve or trust fund to be used  
as a bonus fund for factories, etc.

The plan is a most feasible one  
and met the hearty approval of the  
large number present at the meet-  
ing, and which will be carried out.

Mr. Flood, who has been engaged  
in promoting enterprises and locat-  
ing townships for the M. O. & G.  
railroad for the past two years, was  
present and told the gentlemen in no  
mistakable terms what they must do  
if they ever build a city. He said in  
part, "Gentlemen, you are on the  
right track, all eyes are turned to-  
ward Ada, and there are many en-  
terprises ready to enter the borders  
of your city if you will only give  
the proper inducements. The method  
you expect to adopt is the same  
methods that Oklahoma City adopted  
in securing the enterprises she now  
has; in fact it is the only method  
that will bring the various indus-  
tries that you are seeking into your  
midst without working a hardship  
upon a few. If you will secure the  
sites and offer it to them they will  
come, and that speedily. I could  
name many industries that are ready  
to come to Ada if a location is of-  
fered them.

"Gentlemen, the thing for you to  
do, if you expect to build up your  
city is advertise it. No town can be  
built without using freely the col-  
umns of your newspapers. Do not be  
afraid of spending a few dollars with  
your papers."

Mr. Flood's talk was heartily re-  
ceived and it was the consensus of  
opinion of those present that he was  
right in his conclusions.

A committee composed of Messrs.  
Hope, Hays, Beck, Little, Ebey, Rinard  
and President Lucas was appointed to  
meet with the parties owning the  
lands desired tomorrow afternoon at  
4 o'clock looking to the negotiation  
for same.

### Always Joyful Event.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Har-  
ris a girl on Nov. 14th, 1909.

There was an elaborate dinner at  
the Harris home in such honor Sun-  
day, the day following. The News  
extends congratulations.

County Prosperous.  
The very best indication that  
Pontotoc county is more near-  
ly out of debt and more pros-  
perous than for years is the fact  
that until Saturday evening, the  
6th inst., there had been released  
this year from mortgage record  
at the office of register of deeds  
608 mortgages against 230 re-  
leased by the same date in 1908.

## EXPLOSION IM- PRISONS 275

COAL MINE AT LASALLE, ILL.,  
BLOWS OUT WITH GREAT LOSS  
OF LIFE—FIRE FOLLOWED THE  
BLAST.

Bodies of Many Recovered, While It  
Is Thought that Most All of the 275  
Prisoners Are Dead From Gas  
Poisoning.

La Salle, Ill., Nov. 13.—An explo-  
sion late Saturday afternoon in the  
bituminous coal mine at Cherry, Ill.,  
11 miles southwest of this city, im-  
prisoned 275 men. Fire followed the  
blast and it is feared that most of  
the entombed miners never will be  
taken out alive.

Ten bodies have been brought up  
from one of the higher levels by re-  
scuing parties, which reported that  
many more corpses could be seen.  
Owing to the choking of the passages  
however, penetration of the shafts  
and leads is extremely difficult and  
tedious.

When the whistle blew Saturday  
morning 680 men went down into the  
mine, which is on the line of the  
Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul rail-  
road. Those toilers represented the  
entire male population of the town of  
working age. That all of these men  
were not caught in the cave in which  
followed the explosion is due to the  
fact that 205 of them came out a  
few minutes before the accident.

The explosion is supposed to have  
been caused by fire damp or gases,  
although the management had always  
boasted that it had taken every sci-  
entific precaution for the safety of its  
hundreds of employees.

No man yet has come to the sur-  
face with the story of just how the  
explosion occurred. The accident  
happened shortly before sundown  
when the men were ceasing work  
for the day. The buckets were busy  
conveying the workers to the ground  
when suddenly the earth was shaken  
by a mighty detonation that was  
heard for miles. Immediately smoke  
began pouring from the shafts.

### New Committeeman.

J. B. Champion of Ardmore will  
probably succeed the late Frank Bon-  
ner as member of the executive com-  
mittee from Carter county.

The News is for Judge Champion  
for he knows how to put on the fire  
works, and, also, Judge Champion  
could represent Love county, the al-  
leged little sister of Carter county,  
in the event of Clint Graham's ab-  
sence. He has experience in that line.

Real Estate Bargains.  
\$1,000—Ten acres of land close in.  
Splendid investment.  
\$1,800—20 acres of good land ad-  
joining city. Good bargain.  
\$750—A pair of the prettiest lots in  
Sunrise. This will go quick at this  
figure.  
\$600—Six lots on East 17th street.  
Suitable for valuable tenant build-  
ings.

NEWS OFFICE.

## STATE LOSES 2-CENT RATE

PLEA OF ABATEMENT OVERRUL-  
ED BY FEDERAL JUDGE  
W. O. HOOK.

### HEARING DATE IS SET

Application for Restraining Order to  
Railroads Comes Up on De-  
cember 7th.

Guthrie, Okla., Nov. 13.—The deci-  
sion of Judge William C. Hook of  
Leavenworth, Kan., judge of the  
Eighth federal district, denying the  
state's plea of abatement in the two-  
cent passenger fare and freight rates  
injunction suits of the Atchison, To-  
peka & Santa Fe, the Missouri, Kan-  
sas & Texas, and the Midland Valley  
railroad companies, which were ar-  
gued here last week, was announce-  
d from the bench by Federal Judge  
John H. Cotteral this afternoon.

Judge Hook overruled the demur-  
rer of Attorney General West on the  
two propositions advanced. The at-  
torney general contended, first, that  
the federal court case should be dis-  
missed or indefinitely suspended  
pending the determination by the Ok-  
lahoma supreme court of the appeals  
from the freight orders of the cor-  
poration commission. Judge Hook, in  
overruling says that the fact that the  
freight orders are in force in Okla-  
homa is sufficient to give the federal  
courts jurisdiction in equity, and  
that the Virginia case with which the  
attorney general substantiated his  
plea for a dismissal would not ap-  
ply here in that the freight orders  
were not being enforced in Virginia.

In overruling the plea on the "Two-  
cent rate" portion of the attack by  
the railroads, Judge Hook says, of the  
attorney general's contention that the  
railroads have not applied to the  
corporation commission for relief and  
have therefore not exhausted their

## Save Your Money

Where one man gets rich through hazardous spec-  
ulation, a hundred get POOR.

Where one man stays poor through the slow  
methods of savings, hundreds get RICH.

The wise man chooses the better part and places  
his money in a safe, accommodating BANK. This  
bank is in position to properly handle all business  
entrusted to it, and accords the same courtesy and  
welcome to large and small depositor alike.

## OKLAHOMA STATE BANK

ADA, OKLAHOMA

### Safety Deposit Boxes For Rent

J. W. Hays, President; W. H. Ebey, Vice President; W. D.  
Hays, Cashier; L. A. Ellison, Asst. Cashier

principles of jurisprudence, the case of the United States is evoked upon  
is in its essential features a civil ac- sufficient grounds it cannot be re-  
tion at law or in equity, it matters not Heved of its duty to take cognizance  
that the state may have denied the and proceed, either by constitutional  
complaining party access to its courts provision or by legislative act of a  
or may have designated some partic- state. If, according to recognized  
ular local tribunal to the exclusion of principles of jurisdiction, a state is a  
of all others, state and national. supreme law of the land; it is a duty  
of the court which may not be  
avoided."

"The test is the existence of a con-  
troversy and its character and the  
presence of grounds of federal juris-  
diction, not whether the courts of a  
state are open or to what extent. The  
exercise of jurisdiction so invoked is  
the right of the litigant under the  
resources in state courts.

"The situation presented in that  
of a case calling for judicial inquiry  
and determination, and the second in-  
quiry is whether they may be had  
in this court or must be had in the  
state tribunals. Upon that the follow-  
ing principals, believed to be firmly  
imbedded in the jurisprudence of this  
country are decisive."

"When the jurisdiction of a court

### Land for Sale on Easy Terms.

Ford and Harris have several  
farms for sale about Ada, and will  
make terms satisfactory. Will take  
city property, or stock in payment.  
For particulars call at Farmers State  
Bank.

### Office Rooms.

Two very desirable front rooms  
newly remodeled, reasonable  
rents. Henley & Biles building.  
Apply to Henley & Biles.

## Boy's Reliable Clothing

Every garment is in a new style of high-grade  
makes built especially to with-stand hard wear.

Boy's Knickerbocker Suits with extra pants \$3.50 and \$4  
(In the new shades—Brown and Green Stripes)

The Widow Jones School Suits for the boys of 15 to 17 years.  
These Suits are exclusive in colors and make. The Coats are  
hand work—made the same like mens'—unbreakable fronts,  
fancy cuffs. Adjustable Knickerbocker pants guaranteed not  
to rip; in all the latest colors and \$7.50 to 12.50  
patterns. Prices from.....

Children's Russian and Sailor blouse suits. Blue, Brown and  
Red and fancy Grey mixed Chevoits. Ages 2½ to 6 years.  
Prices from.....\$1.48 to \$5.00.

We make a specialty of \$3.50  
and \$4 Men's Shoes.

No house in Ada can show you  
such a great line of so many  
makes in Shoes as we do.



The Walkovers, \$3.50 and \$4.00; W. L. Douglas,  
\$3.50 and \$4; the Burt & Packard's  
\$3.50 and \$4

## Guaranteed Patent SHOES

Warranted not to break—if they do another  
pair instead.



H. A. T. S.  
J. B. Stetson  
Knox  
Gimbell

I. HARRIS

Specialist in Good Clothes For Men and Young Men

Shoes 3.50 & \$4  
Walkovers  
W. L. Douglas  
Burt & Packard

This store is the home of Hart Schaffner & Marx clothes.

## Farmers State Bank

F. O. HARRISS, Cashier

We want to help all good  
farmers buy them a farm, and  
for particulars call to see us.

For convenience of the  
farmers and working people  
we are open from sun-up to  
sun-down, and on pay day  
are open at nights.



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## NEW STYLE SCRIPTURE READING

Story of David and Goliath as Given  
by Rev. Billy Sunday.

Here is the story of David and Goliath as it is said to have been re-  
cently told by the Rev. Billy Sunday,  
with appropriate gestures, to a rapt  
congregation of eight thousand:

"And so David's pa comes up to  
him where he was working in the  
field and says: 'Dave, better go' up  
to the house. Your ma's anxious about  
the other boys fighting in the army,  
hasn't heard from them by 'phone or  
anything, and she'd like you should  
look them up.' So Dave hops on a  
trolley and hikes to the front, and  
stays there with his brothers over  
night.

In the morning old Goliath comes  
out in front of the Philistines and  
dares the Israelites to fight him.

"Who's that big stiff making all  
that big talk out there?" asks Dave.

"Why, that's the head cheese, the  
big noise," says his brothers.

"Why don't someone soak him  
one?" asks Dave.

"We've all got gold feet," says the  
Israelites.

"You fellows make me tired," says  
Dave, and he pikes out to the brook  
gets four pebbles in his shepherd's  
sack, slams one at Goliath, and soaks  
him in the coco between the lamps.  
Goliath goes to the mat, takes the  
count, and Dave pokes him in the  
sides, chops off his block, and the  
whole Philistine gang skiddooed."—  
Harper's Weekly.

## ALMOST A CLOUD BURST.

The Downpour of Rain Saturday  
Night Heaviest in Many Months.

Following the continuous rain all  
day Saturday this community was  
visited by a miniature cloudburst  
about 6 o'clock in the evening. A  
deluge of rain fell and the water  
rushed through the streets in tor-  
rents. The rain was accompanied by  
heavy thunder and vivid lightning,  
and continued until late into the  
night. Yesterday morning the clouds  
broke away, the sun came out and  
a beautiful fall day was had. But  
again this morning the clouds re-ap-  
peared and rain began to fall about  
8 o'clock which has continued  
throughout the day.

This is the first general rain that  
has fallen here since early in the  
summer, and it came at a most ac-  
ceptable time for the farmers have  
just about completed the gathering  
of their crops, and will accord am-  
ple moisture for plowing as well as  
plenty of water for the stock.

## "Ben Franklin"

Said—"The way to wealth,  
If you desire it, is as plain  
as the way to market. It depends  
chiefly on two words—

## Industry and Frugality

He that gets all he can honestly,  
and saves all he gets (necessary expenses  
excepted,) will certainly become rich.

What the wise old philosopher said  
was not only true at that time,  
but holds good today.

There is no better way  
to save than to have a bank account.

## First National Bank, Ada, Oklahoma

A GOOD BANK—IN A GOOD TOWN

## SPECIAL SESSION IS CALLED

CHICKASAW LAW MAKERS CALL-  
ED IN SPECIAL SESSION FOR  
THIS WEEK.

Former Indian Territory Counties  
Temporarily Exempt From Allo-  
tment Sales.

Tishomingo, Okla., Nov. 13.—Govern-  
nor Douglas H. Johnston of the  
Chickasaw nation today called a  
special session of the Chickasaw leg-  
islature to meet in Tishomingo Mon-  
day. The governor's message will set  
forth the object of the session which  
is at this time not generally known.  
It is believed that the object of the  
session is to adopt a memorial to con-  
gress asking that the State of Okla-  
homa be permanently restrained from  
assessing Indian allotments for taxes.  
The Indians hold that this practice is  
in violation of the treaties the Indians  
have with the United States govern-  
ment.

Bathrie, Okla., Nov. 13.—In pursu-  
ance of the policy which the United  
States government has adopted for the  
protection of Indian lands from  
taxation, Federal Judge Cotteral to-  
day at the instance of District At-  
torney John Embry, issued a temporary  
restraining order against the treas-  
urer and commissioners of Lincoln  
county, enjoining the sale for taxes  
of the allotments of twenty-eight Sac  
and Fox Indians. The sale is ad-  
vertised for next Monday and Judge  
Cotteral has set that day for the  
hearing.

The government's contention is  
that title to these lands is still vested  
in the government and they are be-  
ing held in trust for the allottee and  
therefore are not taxable. With three  
exceptions, the officials of all the  
counties in what was former Indian  
Territory are no restrained from  
auctioning off Indian allotments for  
taxes.

Judge Cotteral's order has the ef-  
fect of postponing the sale in Lin-  
coln county.

## THE COST OF EDUCATION.

The Recently Published Report of  
Commissioner Shows Average  
Cost \$28.25.

The average yearly expenditures of  
a pupil in the public schools of this  
country is given as \$28.25 in the re-  
cently published report of the Com-  
missioner of Education. In 1870 it was  
only \$15.55.

Nevada has the highest yearly ex-  
penditure, \$72.15 a pupil, followed by  
New York with \$51.50. Montana with  
\$49.40 and California with \$49.29. In  
the South the expenditures a pupil  
range from \$6.37 for South Carolina  
to \$20.36 for West Virginia. The new  
state of Oklahoma spends \$15.79, New  
Mexico \$19.46, while Arizona with  
\$40.41 spends \$5.16 a pupil a year  
more than Oklahoma and New Mex-  
ico combined.

One-third of the states spend from  
\$25 to \$40 a pupil. The fact that one-  
fourth spend less than \$15 and one-  
fourth spend more than \$35 is an  
indication, says the commissioner, "of  
the great variety in support of public  
education, and I believe, in the  
opportunity afforded for school  
training in our various Common-  
wealths."—New York Sun.

## Don't Forget.

To pay your telephone bill by No-  
vember 15th and avoid having your  
telephone service discontinued. 3t

## THE Ada National Bank

wishes to call your  
attention to two

## FACTS

It has been under ONE con-  
tinuous MANAGEMENT  
since the organization. Now  
in its NINTH year. The  
BANK that has helped to  
build ADA and assisted  
more FARMERS than any  
institution in—

## Pontotoc County

## HEALTH HINTS.

By G. T. Howerton,  
East Central Normal School.

You can not afford to take any risk  
on your drinking water. A few things  
should be above SUSPICION. Caesar  
and his wife are not the only ones.  
Food may have its dangers removed  
by cooking. Many times it has. But  
our water is usually drunk uncook-  
ed. Therefore it must be above suspi-  
cion to begin with. "He that provideth  
not for his own, and especial-  
ly those of his own household" drink-  
ing water that is above suspicion  
might not want to be classed with  
"those who have denied the faith  
and are worse than infidels" still.  
Well, there is a responsibility on the  
"head of the house," the head of the  
school, the head of the factory to  
KNOW that the water they offer to  
those of whom they have control IS  
ABOVE SUSPICION.

WOMEN TO SIGHT CONSUMPTION.  
State Federation Plans to Inaugurate  
Extensive Campaign During the  
Christmas Holidays.

The Federation of Women's Clubs  
in this state will inaugurate an ex-  
tensive scheme during the Christmas  
holidays in opposition to the great  
white plague, in the sale of both Red  
Cross stamps and a stamp designed  
for use in this state alone. The funds  
which are raised will be used exclu-  
sively for fighting the disease and  
caring for those who are afflicted.

The subject of tuberculosis has re-  
ceived a large amount of attention  
during the convention here, and no  
little effort has been devoted to create  
a wide interest over the state in  
fighting its ravages in Oklahoma.

Dr. F. K. Camp of Oklahoma City,  
who for a number of years made an  
special study of the plague, along  
with methods for its prevention, has  
been especially active in aiding in  
this movement, and on two occasions  
has lectured before the federation  
on this subject.

The various delegates over the state  
who were in attendance at the meet-  
ing demonstrated particular interest  
in the exhibition which had been  
placed in an adjoining room at the  
church, and which contained speci-  
mens of diseased parts of the hu-  
man body which was affected with  
tuberculosis. Also illustrations and  
statistics showing the ravages of the  
plague in different sections of the  
country were shown.

## HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Harris.  
A. A. Wiell, N. Y.; R. H. Hrodiron,  
N. Y.; J. D. Marsh, Houston; W. S.  
Saret, Sapulpa; J. R. Roach, St.  
Louis; J. R. Hill, Oklahoma City;  
Phil. McLahren, St. Louis; H. C.  
Cope, Oklahoma City; John Jobe, K.  
C.; P. H. Williams, Oklahoma City;  
J. A. Hatman, Shawnee; John Flood,  
St. Louis; Joe Price, Boston.

Chapman.  
J. B. Chapman, City; J. C. Hardin,  
City; A. D. Coon, Stratford; J. L.  
Day, Konawa; D. J. Rhea, Wynne-  
wood; Mrs. Cloyd, Ada; A. H. Chap-  
man, Ada; Mrs. Parsons, Henryetta;  
Walter Goyne, Ada; J. W. Dentall,  
Stonewall; C. W. Brown, Stonewall.

Byrd.  
Joe Smith, Jim Wilson, L. N. Mor-  
ris, Sam Elheridge, O. A. Hollo-  
way, J. C. Seabolt, Francis; P. S.  
Reid, Pauls Valley; J. A. Webb, J. F.  
Marin, Sasakwa; H. S. Williams, Phil  
McLahren, John Cayse, Harry Cayse,  
Layton Chilcutt, Joe Smith, Fithugh.

## STORM, RAIN AND SNOW

MANY KANSAS TOWNS VISITED  
BY WIND AND RAIN—MUCH  
DAMAGE DONE.

The Rains Will Make Wheat in that  
State Come Up—Tracks at Well-  
ton Covered.

Newton, Kas., Nov. 13.—A cyclone  
struck the town of Hesston ten miles  
northwest of here, at 6:30 o'clock  
last night, demolishing nearly every  
barn and outbuilding in the place,  
and scattered the debris over the  
surrounding country.

Among the heaviest losers are  
Amos Hess, two barns; M. Weaver,  
Joe Landd's, William Rapp and John  
Kleinfelt, one barn each; Warren  
Fowler, large threshing machine shed;  
Chris Hertzer, new house blown  
from foundation; William Rapp, resi-  
dence unroofed and contents drench-  
ed by rain; John Doyle, three miles  
north of town, house and barn de-  
molished, and Jonas Holdenman, three  
miles northeast of town, barn de-  
molished.

Communication with the surround-  
ing country was cut off until this  
forenoon. No lives were lost. The  
total loss will be in the neighborhood  
of \$25,000.

## Arkansas City Flooded.

Arkansas City, Kas., Nov. 13.—In  
the past forty-eight hours rain has  
fallen almost continually here, and in  
that time the precipitation has been  
3.56 inches. The government rain  
gauge shows a fall of 32.55 inches  
since January 1, 1909. Tonight the  
downpour of rain continues, and ev-  
erything is flooded.

Tribune, Kas., Nov. 13.—The en-  
tire western portion of Kansas, and  
especially Greeley county, in the cen-  
tral part and west end of the state  
this morning was completely covered  
with snow, after about three hours of  
gentle rainfall. The day was cloudy  
and drizzling. More acres of winter  
wheat in this country than ever be-  
fore will be benefited.

## Rain at Peabody, Kas.

Peabody, Kas., Nov. 13.—A soak-  
ing rain has fallen here for the last  
thirty-six hours. Wheat and alfalfa  
have been benefited. About four inches  
of rain has fallen.

Emporia, Kas., Nov. 13.—A steady  
soaking rain that has been falling  
here the past twenty-four hours has  
aggregated three inches, the heaviest  
rainfall in two months. The rain  
will be of great benefit, the ground  
being dry before it came. To insure  
the wheat a soaking rain was need-  
ed before the winter's freeze came.  
The stock ponds and river will also  
be needed.

## Tracks Are Overflowed.

Wellington, Kas., Nov. 13.—This  
section is being soaked by one of the  
heaviest rains of the year, starting  
about 11 o'clock last night. More  
than two inches had fallen by day-  
break and it is estimated that the  
day's precipitation has equalled three  
more. The Rock Island track through  
town is threatened by the rise in  
small creeks, which already have  
overflowed the rails at three points.

## Wheat Fields Soaked.

Abilene, Kas., Nov. 13.—Rain for  
twenty-four hours, and still falling  
this evening, has soaked the wheat  
fields. Four and a half inches fell.

Topeka, Kas., Nov. 13.—Heavy  
rains fell over Kansas last night,  
with an inch of snow reported from  
Garden City and its neighborhood.  
The precipitation is very beneficial  
to the wheat. The fall in Topeka was  
almost three inches. All the railroad  
report heavy falls of rain along their  
lines. Advices from Newton and  
Hutchinson are of the same order. In  
many parts of the state the rain con-  
tinued through today. Considerable  
telegraph wire trouble is reported.

Salina, Kas., Nov. 13.—Rain, which  
commenced falling yesterday morn-  
ing, continued all last night and to-  
day, and tonight the fall measure  
nearly four inches. The rain was  
very heavy last night, but lighter to-  
day. Snow is falling 500 miles west  
of here. A falling barometer indi-  
cates colder weather.

## How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Re-  
ward for any case of Catarrh that  
cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh  
Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.  
We, the undersigned, have known  
F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years,  
and believe him perfectly honorable  
in all business transactions and finan-  
cially able to carry out any obliga-  
tions made by his firm.

Walding, Kinnam & Barvin,  
Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.  
Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken in-  
ternally, acting directly upon the  
blood and mucous surfaces of the  
system. Testimonials sent free. Price  
75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Drug-  
gists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for con-  
stipation.

## THE GOSSIP MICROBE

THERE WAS A TIME WHEN IT  
WAS LESS COMMON TO SPEAK  
LIGHTLY OF THE REPUTATION  
OF A WOMAN.

A Time When Newspapers Were Less  
Prone to Publish Stories Comprom-  
ising a Woman's Honor.

"The gossip microbe is born of  
vacuity and breeds in idle minds."  
So says Elbert Hubbard, who is some-  
thing of a philosopher. It is true,  
but our dear Elbert does not go far  
enough. His epigram does not fully  
cover the situation. In gossip as it  
is often handled, the good name of  
woman is frequently damned.

A beautiful and fragrant flower is  
coaxed into bloom by the genial sun-  
shine of tropical countries. It is called  
the camelia and is so sensitive and  
tender that if it be touched with but  
a breath no power on earth can pre-  
vent the blight or wipe away the  
stain.

Such a flower is the good name of  
a woman. One breath of suspicion, one  
word of slander, will leave it marred  
and bruised forever. Men and women  
are not sufficiently mindful of this  
fact.

Too often trifles light as air are dis-  
torted by the frivolous or the base or  
the ungentle, into the magnitude of  
damning facts.

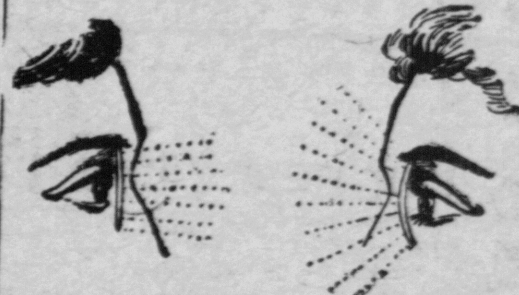
Too often lies born in the hearts of  
scoundrels and circulated by the lips  
of fools have whispered reputations  
to death. Once started they travel like  
winged vampires on their missions of  
infamy, gathering filth as they pass  
from knavish lip to foolish ear and  
out again.

Thus common gossip takes up the  
work of spreading the compost upon  
the weeds until they choke down the  
fairest flowers.

Gossip is the black witch of false-  
hood, the courier of bad news, the  
handmaiden of slander. It whispers  
evil into the ear of the world. It is  
dumb to utter good, but with a thou-  
sand tongues it spreads the base, the  
vile and the impure. It repeats ev-  
erything that is not bad, it forgets ev-  
erything that is good. It is a snake  
in the grass, a filthy reptile that  
travels with its bell yon the ground,  
leaving its trail of slime behind. It  
can damn with faint praise, and with-  
out sneering teach the rest to sneer.  
It is the master of innuendo. It can  
circulate falsehood with knowing  
winks and with an hundred arts of  
deception convey the lie it dares not  
utter.

This is gossip—and it is more. It is  
a human Harpie who with unsated ap-  
petite leaves its feast on festering  
reputations in the charnel house of  
character to devour the good name of  
the innocent and pure. It is the  
arch-enemy of woman's honor and has  
with its lying tongue stabbed many a  
reputation in the back.

There was a time when it was less  
common to speak lightly of the repu-  
tation of a woman. There was a time  
when newspapers were less prone to  
publish stories compromising a wo-  
man's honor. We were nearer the pi-  
oneer ways and the shotgun methods  
of protecting the good name of wo-  
men obtained by common consent and  
those who dared to speak disparag-  
ingly of any of them did so at their  
imminent peril. But with the advance  
of civilization people have become  
more law-abiding, there is more of a  
dispositio to adjust all differences  
in the courts. But this, instead of  
making men less careful of the at-  
tacks they make upon women it  
should make the more careful. They  
should do through reverence and re-  
spect for the sex what the fear of  
a shotgun made them do a century  
even fifty years ago.—Wave-Democrat.



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Notice of Hearing Petition for Ap-  
pointment of Administrator.  
State of Oklahoma, Pontotoc County.  
In County Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of  
Davis Wright, Deceased.  
To the heirs, next of kin, and Credi-  
tors of Davis Wright, Deceased.

You are hereby notified that Louisa  
Johnson has applied to the County  
Court of Pontotoc County, State of  
Oklahoma, for Letters of Administra-  
tion on the estate of Davis Wright,  
deceased, to be granted to J. C.  
Chapman and that said application  
will be heard in the Court room of  
said Court in the City of Ada, in said  
County, on the 17th day of Novem-  
ber, 1909, at 10 o'clock a. m. at which  
time and place any person interested  
may appear and show cause, if they  
they have why such petition should  
not be granted.

Witness my hand and the Seal of  
said Court hereunto affixed this 6th  
day of November, 1909.

JOEL TERRELL,  
County Judge.  
(First published Nov. 6th —10c-d.)

## Church Directory

"EVERY BOY AND GIRL IN SUN-  
DAY SCHOOL AND EVERYBODY  
AT CHURCH."

### Asbury Methodist Church.

Preaching every Sunday morning at  
11 o'clock and evening at 7:45 ex-  
cept the second Sunday. No service  
at all that day.

Sunday school at 9:45, T. W. Robl-  
son, superintendent.

Junior League at 3 p. m. with John  
Beard, superintendent.

Woman's Home Mission is and 3rd  
Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.  
C. C. BARNHARDT, Pastor.

### First Presbyterian Church.

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m., J.  
T. Higgins, superintendent. Preaching  
at 11 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Prayer  
meeting Wednesday evening.  
J. O. NEEDHAM, Pastor.

### Presbyterian Church.

Services Sunday morning at 11  
and evening at 8:00. J. D. White,  
pastor.

Sunday School at 9:45, Orville  
Sneed, superintendent. Junior En-  
deavor society meets every Sunday  
afternoon at 2:30. Ladies Aid So-  
ciety meets every Monday afternoon  
at 2:30.

### First Baptist Church.

Sunday school 9:45, W. C. Duncan,  
superintendent. Preaching 11 a. m.  
and 8 p. m. J. R. Union, 4 p. m.  
S. R. Union 7 p. m. Ladies Aid  
and Mission Society Monday, 4 p. m.  
Prayer meeting Wednesday 8 p. m.  
C. STURBLEFIELD, Pastor.

### Christian Church

Services Sunday morning at 11 and  
Sunday evening at 8:00. Rev. C. E.  
Smutz, pastor.

Sunday School at 10 a. m., L. T.  
Walters, superintendent

Ladies Aid meets first and third  
Wednesdays and C. W. B. M. first  
Thursday in each month. Prayermeet-  
ing every Wednesday evening at  
8:00.

The Christian Endeavor Society  
meets at 3 p. m.

### First Methodist Church.

Services Sunday morning at 11  
o'clock and Sunday evening at 8:00  
Rev. W. M. Wilson, pastor.

Sunday School every Sunday morn-  
ing at 9:45 o'clock, T. F. Pierce, su-  
perintendent. Prayermeeting every Wed-  
nesday evening at 8:00. Intermediate  
and Jr. Leagues meet Sunday after-  
noon. Home Mission Society meets ev-  
ery Monday afternoon at 3 p. m., ex-  
cept at 3 o'clock. Bible study Fri-  
day night at 7:30.

### North Ada Baptist Church.

Sunday School every Sunday morn-  
ing at 9:45, A. N. Harrison, super-  
intendent. Prayermeeting every  
Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock. La-  
dies Aid Society meets every Wednes-  
day afternoon at 3 o'clock.

### FRISCO.

Effective 12:01 A. M. Oct. 3, 1909

NORTH BOUND  
No. 508 Eastern Express... 10:59 a. m.  
No. 514 Meteor... 5:56 p. m.

SOUTH BOUND  
No. 509 Meteor... 9:22 a. m.  
No. 507 Sherman Express... 4:54 p. m.

M. K. & T.  
Southbound.  
No. 111 due 11:10 a. m.  
Northbound.  
No. 112 due 4:57 p. m.

OKLAHOMA CENTRAL.  
Westbound.  
No. 3 due 10:25 a. m.  
Local due 11:30 a. m.  
Eastbound.  
No. 2 due 3:40 p. m.  
Local due 12:45 p. m.



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Fresh celery at Walsh's. 3

Knut Butter Candy 5c a bag at Ramsey's.

J. F. Johnson is here on business from Conway.

Mr. Colbert of Franks, is in the city on business.

J. R. Scroggins is here today on business from Egypt.

Rev. R. Bess of Sasakwa is in the city today on business.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Harris, a girl on November 14th., '09.

Get your bananas while they are cheap—one cent each at Tobin's.

Miss Maud Holley returned today from a visit to friends in Oklahoma City.

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A complete line of the well known Fay Stockings for Children and Misses at the Grand Leader.

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Your wardrobe is incomplete without a fine custom-tailored blue serge suit—it is always in good taste, and comes in very handy when in doubt.

Have one made for you from one of the fine serges in the elegant line of **Ed. V. Price & Co.**, merchant tailors, Chicago.

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**THE MEN WITH THE TAPE**  
Ada, Oklahoma

Exclusive local representatives Ed. V. Price & Co., Merchant Tailors, Chicago

W. C. Rhea returned to Roff today.

E. L. Steed returned to Tupelo today.

Bananas at one cent each at Tobin's grocery store.

Bill Coffman came in from Stratford yesterday.

Chas. E. Daggs, tinner and plumber, North Broadway.

Mrs. M. B. Donaghey went to Oklahoma City yesterday shopping.

John Scribner and wife, of Stone-wall, are in the city on business.

Frank Huddleston returned from a business trip to Allen yesterday.

Warre, Tull, Shackelford and Ben Thompson went duck hunting this morning.

Muncy McLeod returned last night and will resume his studies at the Normal.

Miss Clark, the latin teacher in the Normal returned from Oklahoma City today.

Harry Sears returned to Chicago this morning after a few days visit in this city.

Mr. Ellis has purchased the Chas. Richardson Racket Store on East Main Street.

Miss Alice Sanders and Taylor went to Holdenville yesterday on a few days visit.

The Homer school house has been completed and school was opened in it this morning.

Mrs. C. L. Smith and sister, Miss Lydia V. Mason, are visiting relatives in Oklahoma City.

Miss Birdie Roberts returned last night from Wetumka where she spent Sunday with home folks.

50 boxes Window Glass just received. Ada Drug Co. D. W. Holman, Pharmacist, East Main St.

M. L. Kelly, a prominent cotton buyer of this place, returned to his home in Sherman Sunday.

50 boxes Window Glass just received. Ada Drug Co. D. W. Holman, Pharmacist, East Main St.

Just received 50 bunches of bananas which I will sell at 12 cents a dozen.

**TOBIN.**

Mart Walsh, Geo. Frierson, Rhone Sugg, Dr. Ligon, L. Rosenfield went hunting in the Conway country today.

John McKinley, J. B. Wall and Edgar Smith returned last night from a week stay in St. Louis and Kansas City.

Judge I. A. Burris came in yesterday from Stratford enroute to Tishomingo to attend the Chickasaw Legislature.

Friends of Mrs. J. W. Hays will be glad to learn that she is able to sit up, after being confined to her bed for two weeks.

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Call for the Dorothy Shoes.

New styles just received at the Grand Leader.

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When you purchase shoes this week see the dependable line at close prices in the splendid stock of Chapman, the Shoe Man.

Go to Tobin's for your bananas, one cent each. Fifty bunches on hand.

Gale Stale of Jesse is moving to Ada to go into the hog business.

There will be a box supper at the Homer school house next Friday night and a \$15.00 coat suit will be given to the prettest girl there.

R. G. Sears, accompanied by fifteen of the foot-ball players, went to Tahlesuah to play ball. Professors Briles and Roddie went down yesterday.

Mrs. A. M. Croxton left this morning for a visit with her father, Judge McCormick at Fort Worth. From there she will go to Dallas to visit relatives.

The Presbyterian congregation on Broadway have very much added to the comfort of those attending that church as well as the public at large by having a concrete walk laid in front of the church.

The fall term of County Court convened this morning and Judge Terrell is one of the busiest men in town today. There is quite a good deal of routine business that will be transacted at this term.

## W. O. W.

### CLASS INITIATION A SUCCESS

Notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather, there were about two hundred present at the "class initiation" Saturday night. It rained all the afternoon and about night it began to pour and continued till up in the night.

Nevertheless, a goodly number were present from all nearby towns and all enjoyed being present.

The first thing on the program was a welcome address by Sovereign Geo. Thompson who assured the state officers and visiting Woodmen that they were welcome yea, thrice welcome into our city and by permission of the mayor he presented them with the keys of the city, to go where they would and enjoy themselves.

The response by State Officer Joe A. Edwards was very fitting and full of facts. He thanked the local camp for their hearty welcome and courtesies to their distinguished visitors.

The address on behalf of the local camp by Sovereign R. C. Roland was very appropriate, as he dealt with apologies which were wont to be made on account of reception committee failing to do their duty even if it was raining. He said he was sorry that it happened and knew the reception committee was very "sorry" or they would have been at the depot to meet the team who waded the water and mud to find a hotel.

State Manager R. L. Forgan, in response complimented the city of Ada and the nice hall that the local camp had secured in which to meet. He stated that he was here a little more than a year ago and that the town had made a wonderful change since then and that it was improving rapidly.

He dwelt on the work of the order in the state of Oklahoma and gave statistics showing that Oklahoma ranked second in per cent gain in membership last year and took fifth place in the number of members. Texas, Mississippi, Alabama, Arkansas and Oklahoma, ranked respectively in the order named.

He also made apologies for the absence of the sovereign officers and stated that the beloved wife of Sovereign Commander J. C. Root, was not expected to live as she was very low with fever and that Advisor L. Fraiser could not be present on account of performing the commander's duties.

Past Head Consul John R. Fox, made an address on Perfected Woodcraft which was instructive in its nature. He was here to take Henry M. Furman's place. After this address preparations were made for the initiatory work.

The Oklahoma City team was not here but we had a good substitute from Fitzhugh Camp that did themselves credit. There were about twenty candidates for the degrees, but it was decided that only three should take the degrees and the balance were to be brought in and witness the work, which was done. Otis B. Weaver, W. J. Baugh and Chas. H. Greer were the lucky candidates and it is thought they got their money's worth from expressions later. They may speak for themselves.

Suffice it to say that Fitzhugh has the best team in the district and they put the work on a one.

The only regrets we have is the manner in which they were entertained while here. The hotels were all crowded and by a misunderstanding their rooms (the team) were occupied and they began to think they were going to be forced to do something mean in order to have a place to stay over night, but finally were cared for by scattering out. Our sincere thanks are extended to the Fitzhugh team for the able way they put on the work and we assure them if they are invited again they will have the proper attention. We also thank the state officers for their presence and co-operation and trust they can be with us oftener. About the wee hours of the night all passed to slumberland.

**A Musical Meeting.**

Miss Gertrude Case, director of music in the E. C. N. requests that there be published a notice that the presence of every individual in the city in any manner interested in music is most cordially invited at the Normal college chapel from four to five o'clock Wednesday afternoon. There will be a program consisting of music and talks by visiting ladies. The purpose of the meeting is the promotion of the spirit of musical progress in the city and for the purpose of securing the maximum practical results from the Wednesday afternoon meeting. There will be organized an appropriate club.

**Get Your Shade Trees Now.**

If you expect to put out shade trees this fall now is the time and Charley Ray is the man to do the work. See him at once, at East 15th Street, Ada, Okla.

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A new bank growing to be a big bank.  
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B. H. MASON, Cashier

M. B. DONAGHEY, First V. Pres.  
J. W. DAVIS, Second V. Pres.

### ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Miss Gibony went to Denison this morning.

Bob Ellis is on trial today for selling whiskey.

John Smith returned to his home at Roff today.

J. F. Johnson is here on business from Conway.

Mr. Colbert of Franks is in the city on business.

J. R. Bottoms is here today on business from Egypt.

Rev. R. Bess of Sasakwa is in the city today on business.

Mrs. Bush Wright of Francis is in the city shopping today.

The first passenger train on the O. C. came in Sunday morning.

Gale Stale of Jesse is moving to Ada to go into the hog business.

Messrs. Torbett, Ellsworth and Tipton went duck hunting this morning.

Mrs. Whit went to Tupelo today after attending the funeral of her father, Mr. Jones of Wetumka.

John Fork of Norman was here yesterday. He attended the meeting of the W. O. W. Saturday night.

Mrs. O. M. Parsons of Henryetta, charged with forgery will have a trial the next term of district court.

The U. S. Presbyterian Ladies Aid Society will meet Wednesday on account of the inclement weather today.

### The Local Markets.

The following prices prevail in Ada today on cotton, corn and farm products. (These prices will be changed daily and can be relied upon.)

|                        |             |
|------------------------|-------------|
| Cotton                 | 13.50@14.00 |
| Cotton seed, per ton   | 30.00@32.50 |
| Corn                   | .55@ .60    |
| Hay, per ton           | 12.50@13.00 |
| Eggs, per doz          | .25         |
| Butter, per lb         | .25@ .30    |
| Hides, green           | .08@ .10    |
| Hides, dry             | .12@ .14    |
| Chops, per sack        | 1.15        |
| Bran, per sack         | 1.25        |
| Turkeys, per lb        | .10         |
| Geese, per lb          | .07@ .08    |
| Hogs                   | .06@ .07    |
| Veal                   | .03½@ .04   |
| Beef                   | .04@ .05½   |
| Beef, on foot          | .02½@ .03   |
| Wheat, per bu          | 1.00@ 1.10  |
| Flour                  | 2.80        |
| Oats, per bu           | .60@ .65    |
| Rye, per bu            | 1.30@ 1.35  |
| Barley, per bu         | 1.25@ 1.30  |
| Sweet potatoes, per bu | 1.00        |
| Irish potatoes, per bu | .90@ 1.00   |
| Spg. Chicken, per doz  | 2.00@ 3.75  |
| Hens, per doz          | 3.00@ 4.00  |

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